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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
11 Plaintiff,  
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13 vs.  
14 JULIO SANDOVAL,  
15 Defendant.

Case No. 1:22-cr-0233-JCC-2

MOTION FOR RETURN OF PASSPORT;  
[PROPOSED] ORDER

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17 Defendant, by his attorneys, hereby moves the Court for an Order directing the Clerk of  
18 this Court to return defendant's Passport as Mr. Sandoval is no longer on pretrial release.

19 In support of this request, the defendant offers the following:

- 20 1. On August 31, 2022, Mr. Sandoval was released on the instant case on a number  
21 of pretrial conditions, including surrendering his passport. *See* Dkt. #13, 15, 16.
- 22 2. The Court received Mr. Sandoval's passport , "Passport Number 576769127"  
23 Dkt. #23.
- 24 3. On December 9, 2025, a jury returned a not-guilty verdict and Mr. Sandoval was  
25 terminated in this case. Dkt. #246.
- 26 4. Mr. Sandoval has been discharged from pretrial supervision; he requests the  
27 return of his passport .  
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Respectfully submitted,

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Date: 12/10/2025

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**ORDER**

IT IS SO ORDERED that Defendant JULIO SANDOVAL's Passport ("Passport Number 576769127") shall be returned to the defendant forthwith.

Date: December 10, 2025

  
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JOHN C. COUGHENHOUR  
United States District Judge